

Food Resources in Dawes County

Backpack Program- Food for school children for the weekends for grades k-4th, Chadron Public School Elementary Schools. Individuals interested in the services, please contact the principal at the school office that your child attends.

Bread Basket- Provides weekly food distributions, mostly dairy & bread products St. Patrick's Catholic Assumption Arena, East Side-340 Cedar St., Chadron (308)-432-2626 Tuesdays, 10 AM till food is gone; no eligibility requirements.

Closer to Home- Lunch, no charge. Open to all. 365 Main St., Masonic Hall, Chadron, weekdays from 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM; open to all.

Crawford Food Pantry- Groceries to supplement normal supplies 11 Paddock St., Crawford-Backdoor at the Health Clinic Tuesdays 5-6:45 PM; Wednesdays 10 AM-11:45 AM; limited to 3 times monthly.

Grace Episcopal Church – Food Pantry Items – 450 Bordeaux Street, Chadron 308-432-2229.

Northwest Community Action Partnership- Extra Helpings Food Pantry- Emergency food, must be income eligible. Monthly food distribution. Extra Helping Food Pantry Hours: Tuesday 10:30 AM-12:00 PM and 1:00 PM-4:00 PM Wednesday 10:30 AM-12:00 PM.

Rural Response Hotline- Emergency food pantry assistance, free stress counseling services, free legal and financial advice for farmers and ranchers (800)-464-0258

Shepherd's Pantry- Groceries Delivered by Immanuel Lutheran Church, Chadron (308)-432-5408 Call to schedule a delivery; one delivery per month per household, all welcome.

Western Community Health Resources-Commodity Supplemental Food Program- Distributes commodity food to income eligible residents 60 years or older who are income eligible and apply. Food is distributed every other month. Women, Infants, & Children (WIC)- Free food and nutrition information for income eligible pregnant or postpartum women and children up to age 5. Located at 300 Shelton Street. 308-432-8979.